

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| In re Application of: |) | |
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| Catharina Everdina Hissink, Rob Steendam, |) | Before the Examiner: |
| Linda Joan Gibcus, and Johan Zuidema |) | Susan S. Su |
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| For: BIODEGRADABLE DRAINS FOR |) | |
| MEDICAL APPLICATIONS |) | |

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed June 10, 2010. Kindly reconsider the above-referenced application in view of the following amendments and remarks. Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such extension fee or credit any overpayment of fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

A complete **listing of the claims** begins at page 2 of this paper.

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